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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of:

Shing-Chyang Pan

Group Art Unit: 2825

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In Response to Office Action

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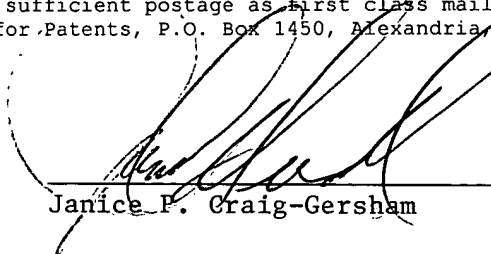
For: Pre-Clean Chamber with Wafer Heating Apparatus and
Method and Use

Attorney Docket No.: 67,200-1226 (2003-0776)

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed Dec. 1, 2004, the Applicants hereby elect with traverse the prosecution of Group A, apparatus claims 1-8 for prosecution. The non-elected claims are cancelled.